

Applicant : Yamamoto et al.
Serial No. : Unknown
Filed : Herewith
Page : 2

Attorney's L...:07898-053001 PH 710US

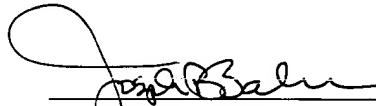
REMARKS

Applicants request entry of the above amendments prior to calculation of the filing fee and prior to examination of the application. Claims 5 and 6 have been amended to correct multiple dependencies. No new matter has been added.

Applicant submits that all of the claims are now in condition for examination, which action is requested. No fee is believed to be due for this amendment. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 12/13/99



Joseph R. Baker, Jr.
Reg. No. 40,900

JZB/jzb

Fish & Richardson P.C.
4225 Executive Square, Suite 1400
La Jolla, CA 92037
Telephone: (858) 678-5070
Facsimile: (858) 678-5099

10010196.doc